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AND SURCHARGE FEES AND TRANSLATION AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT  
AND SUBMISSION OF DECLARATION

In response to the Office Action dated June 9, 2005 copy enclosed, respectfully submitted herewith is the signed and dated Combined Declaration of the inventors (3 pages) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 and 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68 and 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by PCT International application no. and international filing date and with power of attorney.


Respectfully presented is also the English translation (31 pages) which is believed to be an accurate translation of the PCT/EP03/05236 application as originally filed in the German language. This translation is requested to be used as the copy for examination purposes in the Patent Office along with simultaneously submitted Preliminary Amendment.

A Preliminary Amendment including an Abstract on a separate page is also presented to be entered simultaneously with the filing of these papers and before calculation of claim filing fee.

Attached is a check no. 16272 in the amount of \$560.00 (namely \$130.00 for the processing fee for providing the English translation later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)), \$130.00 for late but timely filing of the Declaration and \$300.00 for 6 extra claims in excess of 20).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any or additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to deposit account no.06-0105.


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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 11/26/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 11/26/2004
- Oath or Declaration filed on 11/26/2004
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 11/26/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 11/26/2004
- Priority Documents filed on 11/26/2004

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.
- Processing fee for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
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